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Newsletter of the **Valdosta Vigilance Committee**

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Dapper Dave wins the January Shoot

Seven cowboys rode in for the January Shoot, held at the Little River Sportsman's Association range on January 11, 2003.

The four scenarios seemed to be somewhat challenging for some of the cowboys. **Dapper Dave** came the closest to having a clean run -- only one procedural penalty to marred his run. As a result, Dapper Dave won all four scenarios to become the overall match winner (two months in a row).

Big Boyd had one of his better days, having his one miss on the third scenario (demonstrating once again that there is no target too close or too big that it cannot be missed) Since Big Boyd wrote the scenarios, the posse's consensus was that he should shoot each scenario first

Papa Jake indicated that he thought we should have used the *Red Diamond Gang* scenario from last month, since he shoots that scenario so well.

Other cowboys who participated included **Wagon Wheeler**, **Jimmy Sawbones**, **Dixie Outlaw**, and **The Tallokas Kid**.

Everybody pitched in to make this an enjoyable time. The moving of tables and chairs before and after the match, the relocating of the loading, unloading and shooting tables between scenarios, the spotting, recording and picking up of the brass were duties shared by one and all.

Thanks to Big Boyd's daughter, **Little Debbie**, who helped in painting all those targets for the shoot.

Our newest member, **Robert Dods**, was on hand to lend moral support, but spent most of the match manning either the loading or unloading tables. He should be recognized as **Waddy of the Month**. We hope to get Robert into the shooting next month.

February Monthly Match

The Valdosta Vigilance Committee will host a monthly Cowboy Action match

the second Saturday of each month. The next match will be on **February 8, 2003**, at 9:00 am, at the LRSA range. SASS™ rules will apply. The plan is to shoot four scenarios, being finished in time for lunch. Perhaps the wounded Buffalo will be replaced so we can have the Buffalo Shoot side match again. Come out and have a good time.

The Spring Roundup

The next big shoot sponsored by the Valdosta Vigilance Committee will be the Spring Roundup on April 19, 2003. Round up those strays! *Bring a new shooter and pay a reduced entry fee.* We plan seven to eight scenarios with one or more interesting side matches. (The two other annual matches will be the Cops & Cowboys competition in August and the Winter Solstice Shootout in December)

Web site Launched

The Valdosta Vigilance Committee has made its presence known on the World Wide Web. Check out

the web site at

<http://vvc.endoftheinternet.org>

Help Needed

We need your scenarios! Write one (or more) up with our range setup in mind, and we'll let you shoot it first.

Since **G B Smoky** has taken a job in the hinterlands of north Georgia, we all need to help with the maintenance of our range. If you see anything that needs repair, and if you are able, repair it. If not, let one of the officers know.

Other Upcoming Matches

Jan 25 - Withlacoochie Renegades Cowboy Shoot in Pinetta, FL

Feb 15 -- Little River Sportsman's Assoc.. 2.. Steel Plate Match in Valdosta, GA

Feb 22 - Withlacoochie Renegades Cowboy Shoot in Pinetta, FL

Mar 8 - Valdosta Vigilance Committee Cowboy Shoot in Valdosta, GA

Place	Alias	Scenario1		Scenario2		Scenario3		Scenario4		Match	
		Time	R	Time	R	Time	R	Time	R	Time	Rank
1	Dapper Dave	16.06	1	47.06	1	23.65	1	26.06	1	112.83	4
2	Big Boyd	22.86	2	50.35	2	32.32	2	29.52	2	135.05	8
3	Jimmy Sawbones	46.86	7	66.22	3	37.27	3	43.16	3	193.51	16
4	Wagon Wheeler	25.85	3	73.74	5	46.65	6	49.55	5	195.79	19
5	Tallokas Kid	42.66	6	70.86	4	43.65	5	48.86	4	206.03	19
6	Papa Jake	38.47	5	74.91	6	39.12	4	56.07	6	208.57	21
7	Dixie Outlaw	34.96	4	75.35	7	52.02	7	69.85	7	232.18	25